

ONLY IN THE AIR

Samoa's War Scare Arises From
a Rumor.

ISLANDS STILL UNDISTURBED

Vessel Loaded With Pine
Wrecked.

Cannibalism Still Practiced in
Southern Islands—Man Eaten
by Natives.

APIA, Samoa, March 13.—Rumors of war at an early date are again rife. The latest report is that a simultaneous attack will be made on Apia from both sides of the town. The Government party evidently attach some importance to the story, as they are gathering several of their followers together for the protection of Mulino. It is alleged that a number of letters were found at Aana, without signature, which had evidently been written by a foreigner or foreigners urging the rebels to act before the arrival of any warships. A meeting was to have been held at Lufilufi on Wednesday, but at time of writing no information as to what had been decided upon was to hand.

WRECKED OFF SAMOA.

Debris From Large Lumber Vessel
Washed Ashore.

APIA, Samoa, March 13.—From information to hand there is every indication that a large lumber vessel has been wrecked not far from Samoa. For the last two or three weeks large quantities of heavy lumber have been seen floating through the straits, and the natives at Alepata and Faleaali have picked up a lot. The natives also say that they saw a large ship's mast, too large to tow ashore, floating past Apia. Mr. Allen, of Savali, informs us that the lumber appears to have been in the water seven or eight weeks, as the worms are just starting to get into it. On one piece which Mr. Allen examined he found the initials B B on the end. This piece was 9x26. The lumber found was all Oregon pine.

THEY ARE CANNIBALS.

Natives of Mallicollo Kill and Eat
a Man.

SYDNEY, March 17.—News from the Islands states that the natives of Mallicollo murdered and ate the native servant of a trader named Gana. They enticed Gana into the bush, and he escaped a similar fate with the greatest difficulty. During his absence the natives looted the station and tied the servants to trees. Outrages are becoming so frequent in the New Hebrides that the settlers are petitioning to have a cruiser constantly stationed there.

A Cruel Punishment.

APIA, Samoa, March 13.—The trial of the Samoan, Siologogo, for the murder of Leton, has been concluded, with the result that one of the most remarkable verdicts on record has been pronounced. The accused was found guilty and sentenced to imprisonment for life, he to receive one hard biscuit and one cup of water per day, his relatives not to be allowed to bring him any native food. It will take but little of this treatment to kill Siologogo.

Kruger's Plan in Disfavor.

PRETORIA, March 15.—The delegates representing the Orange Free State consider President Kruger's demands for closer union as excessive. A deadlock has occurred in the negotiations. Kruger denied that in the remark made at a recent banquet that the Queen was a difficult woman to deal with, he intended to show any disrespect.

Plague Diminishing.

WELLINGTON, March 16.—The P. & O. Co.'s agents here are advised by their Bombay agent that the bubonic plague is diminishing, and that Europeans are practically exempt from infection.

A Rush For Gold.

BRISBANE, March 16.—The new gold find at Dead Horse Lead, Clermont, is attracting much attention. One party obtained 19 ounces from two loads. Others obtained from 1 to 6 ounces per load. A big rush has set in.

WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE.
Michigan's Governor-Makes
Plans For Future.

DETROIT, Mich., March 21.—Governor Pingree will not resign the Governorship and will not be a candidate for Mayor of Detroit at the special election April 1st. This negative program was decided on at a meeting of the Governor and several of his advisers which lasted nearly the whole of last night.

The "old man," as his excellency is familiarly called by his followers, wanted to vindicate himself as against the Supreme Court decision in ousting him by permitting the Republicans to nominate him for Mayor.

Most of his advisers at the meeting, however, especially those from other parts of the State, insisted that it was his first duty to remain Governor to the end of the term and not to permit Lieutenant-Governor Dunstan to succeed him. After hours of discussion the chief gradually came around to this view.

The meeting finally decided to recommend that the city convention nomi-

nate Capt. Albert E. Stewart, a Detroit vessel-owner and a member of the Legislature, to succeed Pingree as Mayor. The Republican convention has adjourned until tomorrow to await Pingree's wishes, and the Democratic city convention adjourned until Tuesday, in order to learn what the Republicans are going to do.

COAL FOR ENGLAND.

Bill Introduced to Fortify on American Side.

LONDON, March 22.—The House of Commons sat in committee for several hours today on the military works bill. When the clause referring to the fortifications in the Bermudas was under consideration, John Dillon, leader of the Irish Nationalists, said that in view of the fact that a treaty of peace and arbitration had virtually been concluded between Great Britain and the United States, he protested against the proposed large expenditure upon fortifications at the very doors of the United States.

Sir Charles Dilke replied that fortified coaling stations would be an absolute necessity to Great Britain on the American side of the Atlantic in the event of a great war. The use of the Bermudas as a basis of naval operations on the American side was in no sense whatever directed against the United States.

The bill was finally reported to the House without an amendment.

HARRISON'S ONE REQUEST.

Wants to Name Public Printer—Request Granted.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.—Ex-President Harrison, when he called upon President McKinley on Wednesday, said to him:

"Mr. President, I have one request to make you, and one only, and it is that you appoint as Public Printer Mr. Palmer of Illinois, who served in that capacity during my administration."

President McKinley assured General Harrison that his request would be granted, so it is certain the Palmer will succeed Public Printer Benedict as soon as the latter's term has expired, and perhaps sooner.

PERHAPS NEW BOATS.

Canada Wants Quick Service to Mother Country.

MONTREAL, March 21.—W. Peterson of England, who is connected with large English shipping interests, has signed a provisional contract with the Canadian Government for a fast transatlantic steamship service of four boats of 10,000 tons each, to be ready in two years and to steam over twenty knots per hour. The subsidy to be paid by Canada is said to be \$500,000 per year and the British Government, it is understood, is ready to contribute \$250,000 per year in addition.

The Rev. W. H. Weaver, pastor of the U. B. Church, Dillsburg, Pa., recognizes the value of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and does not hesitate to tell others about it. "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," he says, "and find it an excellent medicine for colds, coughs and hoarseness." So does everyone who gives it a trial. Sold by all druggists and dealers; Benson, Smith & Co., wholesale agents for Hawaiian Islands.

WHARF AND WAVE.

The British bark Northbrook arrived in Port Townsend from this port on March 17th.

The schooner Alice Cooke sailed from Port Gamble for this port on March 12th.

The Hawaiian bark R. P. Rithet, 1,036 tons, will return to Honolulu in the Planters' Line.

Ship T. F. Oakes, Reed, from Hong Kong July 4th for New York, was reinsured February 23d at 70 guineas premium.

Including men-o-war, there are now in the port of Honolulu 14 American, 3 British, 2 Hawaiian vessels, and 1 Norwegian.

Steamer Kahului (Haw.), 852 tons, has been granted an American register, and will hereafter be known as the Cleveland.

British ship Kirendbrightshire, from Newcastle, N. S. W., December 7th, for Panama, was reinsured in February at 7 guineas premium.

Bark Charles F. Crocker, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Honolulu, put into Auckland, N. Z., February 10th, in distress. Of what nature not stated.

The following vessels have sailed from San Francisco for ports on these islands: March 18, bk. Mohican, for Honolulu; bk. Roderick Dhu, for Hilo; March 19, schr. Golden, for Mahukona.

It has been learned that Australia, Westport, New Zealand, coal is in great favor at Honolulu, and that the Westport Colliery Company has received an order for the supply of 4,000 tons.

The bark Charles F. Crocker, on January 19th, and the schooner Olga, on February 12th, have both sailed for this port. The following vessels have been chartered at Newcastle to load for Honolulu: Schooner Louis, barkentine Newsboy, schooner Novelty, ship Reap, bark Fortuna, schooner Golden Shore, schooner William Bowden, barkentine Echo and bark Nonantum.

The O. S. S. Australia, Honolulu commander, came into port and hauled alongside the Oceanic wharf at about 10 a. m. yesterday. Following is the report kindly furnished by Purser McCombe: Left San Francisco March 22 at 2 p. m. with 62 cabin and 35 steerage passengers; also 107 bags of mail. Experienced light to moderate NW to N and NE winds and fine weather all the way. Time 6 days, 18 hours and 30 minutes.

The R. M. S. Monowai, Carey Commander, arrived in port yesterday

afternoon, 17 days from Sydney. Following is the report of her voyage, kindly furnished by Purser B. B. Bendall: The O. S. S. Co.'s R. M. S. Monowai, 2136 tons, sailed from Sydney March 15, from Auckland, March 20 and from Samoa, March 25. Left Sydney as above and arrived in Auckland on the 19th. Left again next day and arrived in Apia on the 25th. Made a stay of 3 hours and then left for Honolulu.

The following vessels have arrived in ports on the Pacific Coast from Hawaiian Islands: March 12: Bk. Albert, 214 days from Honolulu; March 14, schr. Muriel, 24 days from Honolulu; March 15, bk. Archer, 19 days from Honolulu; brig J. D. Spreckels, 24 days from Mahukona; March 17, bk. Alden Resse, 28 days from Honolulu; bk. Amelia, 20 days from Hana, Maui; March 18, bk. R. P. Rithet, 20 days from Honolulu; schr. W. J. Jewett, 22 days from Kahului; March 20, schr. John G. North, 17 days from Honolulu; March 21, bk. Irmgard, 17 days from Honolulu.

DIED.

TUCKER—On March 21st, 1897, at his home in Oakland, Cal., Dr. S. G. Tucker, of heart disease.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

VESSELS IN PORT.

NAVAL.
U. S. S. Marion, Greene, San Diego.
H. B. M. S. Wild Swan, Napier, Victoria, B. C.

MERCHANTMEN.
(This List Does Not Include Coasters.)
Br bk Routenbeck, Rodgers, Liverpool.
Bk Callao, Koster, Newcastle.
Nor bk Fantail, Anderson, Newcastle.
Haw bk Rosalie, Nissen, Chemainus, B. C. (In distress).
Am schr W. F. Babcock, Graham, San Francisco.

Am schr Aloha, Dabel, San Francisco.
Am bk Highland Light, Lewis, Nainam, B. C.

Am schr J. D. Tallant, Hoffman, Port Townsend.
Am bk Martha Davis, Soule, San Francisco.

Am schr Egther Buhne, Anderson, Eureka.
Haw bk Diamond Head, Ward, Port Angeles.

Am bkline Skagit, Robinson, Port Townsend.
Am bk Matilda, McKenzie, Puget Sound.

Am ship Luzon, Park, Shanghai, China.
Am ship Morning Star, Garland, Ruk.
Am ship George Curtis, Sproul, Nagasaki.

O. S. S. Australia, Houdlette, San Francisco.

VESSELS EXPECTED.

Vessel: From: Date:
Sh Echo, Newcastle.....Due
Bkline Newsboy, Newcastle.....Due
Schr Novelty, Newcastle.....Due
Sh Kirendbrightshire.....Due
Bk Mohican, San Francisco.....Due
Bkline W. G. Irwin, San Francisco.....Due
Brig J. D. Spreckels, (Mahukona)
Feb. 17
Bk Seminole, Newcastle.....Mch. 7
Schr Olga, Newcastle.....April 13
Ger bk Paul Isenberg, Liverpool.....May 30
Bk Iolani, New York.....June 20

ARRIVALS.

Tuesday, March 30.
Stmr J. A. Cummins, Searle, from Oahu ports.
O. S. S. Australia, Houdlette, from San Francisco.
Stmr Mauna Loa, Simerson, from Maui and Hawaii ports.

Thursday, April 1.
R. M. S. Monowai, Carey, from the Colonies.
Stmr J. A. Cummins, Searle, from Oahu ports.
Stmr Waialeale, Parker, from Kauai.
Stmr Noeau, Pederson, from Kauai.

DEPARTURES.

Tuesday, March 30.
Stmr Iwaland, Gregory, for Lahaina, Kukuhihaele and Honokaa.
Stmr Claudine, Cameron, for Maui ports.

Stmr Kaala, Mosher, for Oahu ports.
Stmr Mikahala, Thompson, for Kauai ports.
Stmr W. G. Hall, Haglund, for Kauai ports.

Stmr Likilike, Freeman, for Mahukona, Laupahoe, Kukaia and Honoumou.

Stmr Mokoli, Andrews, for Lahaina, Molokai and Lanai.

Am bk Amy Turner, Warland, for Hong Kong.
Am bkline Kilikait, Cutler, for Puget Sound.

Am schr Aloha, Dabel, for San Francisco.

Am schr Prosper, Johannessen, for the Sound.
Stmr James Makee, Tullett, for Ka-paa.

Stmr Kaena, Wilson, for Oahu ports.
Stmr J. A. Cummins, Searle, for Oahu ports.

Thursday, April 1.
Am ship Benj. F. Packard, Allen, for New York.
R. M. S. Monowai, Carey, for San Francisco.
Stmr Waialeale, Parker, for Kilauea.

VESSELS LEAVING TODAY.

Stmr Mauna Loa, Simerson, for Lahaina, Molokai, Kona and Kau at 10 a. m.

Stmr J. A. Cummins, Searle, for Oahu ports.
Stmr Noeau, Pederson, for Lahaina, Honokaa and Kukuhihaele.

PASSENGERS.

Arrivals.
From Maui and Hawaii ports, per stmr Mauna Loa, March 30.—Peter Lee, John Lebedeff, Rev. O. P. Emerson, C. H. Kluegel, Dr. H. A. Lindley, C. S. Weight, Hay Wodehouse, Judge

Kalua, Dr. P. J. Eaton, Mrs. J. Pritchard, Mrs. Hoapili, E. Lazarus, Mrs. Maggie T. Makuoka, Tong Young and 34 on deck.

From San Francisco, per O. S. S. Australia, March 30.—L. C. Ables, H. J. Agnew, C. Averdam, Miss H. Averdam, Mrs. W. H. Avery, Mrs. J. K. Barney, Fred. G. Buckley and wife, Jno. Burke and wife, T. E. Cowart, Mrs. O. Ferriss, E. L. Fitzgerald, Miss G. E. Fonda, Miss Mary Fonda, Mrs. A. Gaisford, C. B. Gray, E. M. Greene, J. O. Henderson and wife, C. S. Hollaway, M. V. Holmes, Mr. Howard and wife, Mrs. H. J. Howison, L. M. Jordan and wife, G. A. Jordan, Miss Nellie Jordan, Miss Lena Jordan, Miss Nellie Jordan, Mrs. L. L. Long, Miss L. S. Long, Frank Merlo and wife and V. Merlo, D. E. Miles, Mrs. L. H. Moses and child, Mrs. W. H. Nauman and son, Miss S. A. Norcross, Wm. Petrie and wife and Jas. Olfan, Miss Jeanette Rede, H. Renjes, wife and child, Geo. R. Stuart, wife and son, Rev. John Osborne, wife and son, E. M. Walsh, Mrs. W. G. Ashley and four children.

From the Colonies, per R. M. S. Monowai, April 1.—J. L. Young, W. Mander and wife, J. E. Green, Raymond Radcliffe and wife, W. Wallace, A. J. Ogilvie and wife, G. P. Hurst, Miss S. Kendall, C. F. Hurst, Geo. Lovelock and wife, W. Churchill, Through: H. S. Gannon and wife, W. C. Clark, A. Wiseman, Mrs. and Miss Waxman, C. Kemp, Hy Stuckey, Hon. A. J. Clark and wife, H. Irwin, P. McAllister, A. Clark, A. S. Clark, W. Singleton, F. Laver, Charles Over, Alfred Carter, R. Ewers, S. Smith, J. McKay, Miss M. L. Keeler, Rev. H. J. Storrs, E. C. Whitney, wife, four children and nurse, S. Kinnington, W. H. Banks and wife, D. W. Williams, A. Field, Mm. Soldene, H. S. Haynes, W. Tohurst, Mr. Mrs. and Miss Wycliffe Wilson, Miss L. J. Snowden Smith, the Most Rev. Dr. J. H. Conner, Miss Lena Felix and A. P. Kalauka.

For Kauai, per stmr Mikahala, March 30.—J. H. Conner, Miss Lena Felix and A. P. Kalauka.

For Kauai, per stmr W. G. Hall, March 30.—Mr. Gay, Charles Gay and C. Dannehauser.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

United States Branch Hydrographic Office, Merchants' Exchange.

San Francisco, Cal.
Captains of vessels touching at any of the ports of the Hawaiian Islands, by communicating with the Branch Hydrographic Office in San Francisco, will be furnished with the Monthly Pilot Charts of the North Pacific, and with the latest information regarding the dangers of navigation in the regions which they frequent.

Nautical inquiries will be investigated and answered.

Mariners are requested to report to the office dangers discovered, or any other information which can be utilized for correcting charts or sailing directions, or in the publications of the Pilot Charts of the North Pacific.

W. S. HUGHES,
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Departures.
For Maui, per stmr Claudine, March 30.—A. Louissou, John H. Wilson, W. Bruner, Mrs. K. Kanoohi, Mrs. S. P. Kamea, Dr. McConkey, E. Morton and wife and Young Young.

For Kauai, per stmr Mikahala, March 30.—J. H. Conner, Miss Lena Felix and A. P. Kalauka.

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METEOROLOGICAL RECORD.

By the Government Survey. Published Every Monday.

DATE	BAROM.	TEMP.	WIND	MOON
1897	9 a.m.	5 a.m.	10 a.m.	11 a.m.
1	30.10	69	78	0.00
2	30.12	70	80	0.05
3	30.14	71	82	0.10
4	30.16	72	84	0.15
5	30.18	73	86	0.20
6	30.20	74	88	0.25
7	30.22	75	90	0.30
8	30.24	76	92	0.35
9	30.26	77	94	0.40
10	30.28	78	96	0.45
11	30.30	79	98	0.50
12	30.32	80	100	0.55

Barometer corrected for temperature and elevation, but not for gravity.

TIDES, SUN AND MOON.

DATE	High Tide	Low Tide	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Moon Rises	Moon Sets
1897	10 a.m.	4 p.m.	6 a.m.	6 p.m.	11 a.m.	11 p.m.
Mon	10:15	4:15	6:05	6:05	11:15	11:15
Tues	10:30	4:30	6:10	6:10	11:30	11:30
Wed	10:45	4:45	6:15	6:15	11:45	11:45
Thurs	11:00	5:00	6:20	6:20	12:00	12:00
Fri	11:15	5:15	6:25	6:25	12:15	12:15
Sat	11:30	5:30	6:30	6:30	12:30	12:30
Sun	11:45	5:45	6:35	6:35	12:45	12:45
Mon	12:00	6:00	6:40	6:40	1:00	1:00
Tues	12:15	6:15	6:45	6:45	1:15	1:15
Wed	12:30	6:30	6:50	6:50	1:30	1:30
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